

# ***NEWS RELEASE***

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**FIVE NIGHT SOUTHBOUND DETOUR ON EVERETT TURNPIKE IN NASHUA**  
**TRAFFIC TO BE DIVERTED ONTO EXIT 1 TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE**  
**STEEL ERECTION ON U.S. ROUTE 3 IN TYNGSBOROUGH, MA**

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces a planned nighttime detour of traffic will affect the southbound lanes of the F.E. Everett Turnpike in Nashua for five nights, beginning Sunday, March 31, 2002.

This detour at Exit 1 will allow for the setting of bridge structural steel at Kendall Road and Locust Avenue on U.S. Route 3 in Tyngsborough as part of the Route 3 reconstruction project in Massachusetts.

Beginning at 11:00 pm March 31, southbound traffic on the Everett Turnpike in Nashua will be detoured at Exit 1 onto Spit Brook and the Daniel Webster Highway, and then back onto Route 3 in Tyngsborough via Middlesex Road and Westford Road.

This detour will take place nightly from 11:00 pm to 5:00 am through the morning of Friday, April 5. Lane closures will begin nightly at 9:00 pm, with the full Route 3 southbound closure at 11:00 pm.